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**AMENDMENT**

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FROM: Edmond A. DeFrank

DATE: August 23, 2004

RE: **AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

Serial No. 09/939,630

Our Docket No. 10015018-1

Entitled: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROCESSING USER-SELECTED HYPERLINKS ON A WEB PAGE (As Amended)**

Filed: Aug. 28, 2001

By: Alegria et al.

Pages: 9 (NOT including cover sheet)

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Please find attached an amendment under 37 CFR 1.111 for the above matter in response to the Office Action dated May 24, 2004. Also is attached is a Transmittal Letter.

Thank you.



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Application No.: 09/939,630 Examiner: L. Nguyen  
Filing Date: Aug. 28, 2001 Group Art Unit: 2174  
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROCESSING USER-SELECTED HYPERLINKS ON A WEB PAGE (As Amended)

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| (X) No additional fee           |                                        |
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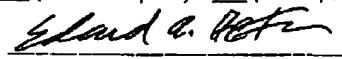
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 24, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.